



ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barker

WHAT NICK SAW

Mr. Scribble Scratch, the fairy school-master, laid down his chalk when Mark Muskrat called out that there was a spider-web over the hole in the floor, so that Muffy Mole and Floppy Field Mouse couldn't have gone that way when they disappeared.

Sar' Ann Spider, over in her corner, went on industriously with her spelling and never flickered an eye-lid.

"We'll have to send the attendance officer for them at once," said Scribble Scratch, looking worried.

But Nick was already busy. He had heard what the little mole-boy and mouse-boy had said to the spider-girl on their way to school, so he was watching. After school had taken up, he saw the earth moving suspiciously, right under the grass by the school-house window, a little mound that kept shoving ahead almost as rapidly as you could draw a chalk mark on the blackboard.



Nick handed in this report: "Your son is playing truant."

Nick knew what that meant—Muffy Mole's sharp little nose and strong shovel-like paws were making for freedom and a good day's hunting, and right at his heels, no doubt, Floppy Field Mouse was urging him to hurry, longing just as much for a chance at the sweet-corn patch, as Muffy was for juicy earthworms. Pretty soon Floppy would wiggle through the top earth and chase like a streak across the meadow to the cornfield.

At first Nick thought of digging up the culprits and hauling them back to school, but he knew what a quick digger Muffy was, and it was altogether likely he would lose them both. So he decided upon another plan. With his little Green Shoes to help him, he found Munchie Mouse's house in the cellar of Maple Tree Flats, and from there he went across Root Street to Mike Mole's front door.

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"LITTLE BEN" HAS

HUGE APPETITE
SAN DIEGO—"Little Ben," a navy goat, wants things to eat. His master, Chief Gunner's Mate Benjamin Lewis, in charge of the North Island receiving depot, is in despair of ever filling "Little Ben" to the top of his goatly appetite. "Little Ben" at a pot of library paste, Chief Lewis' suit of "Lib-

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SOCIAL ABILITY NO HANDICAP IN BUSINESS, SAYS REAL ESTATE WOMAN

BELIEVES WOMEN'S TASTE IN INTERIOR DECORATION ESPECIALLY FITS THEM FOR REAL ESTATE

NEW YORK—"To begin with, I want it clearly understood that I am not giddy, idle society women out for fun in business, but that we know quite well what we are in for."

The speaker was Miss Katherine Force, sister of Mrs. William Dick, whose first husband, John Jacob Astor, went down with the Titanic. Miss Force is in the real estate business in New York.

"Because I play tennis well I do my office work well," she says. "The more kinds of ability a woman has, the better fitted she is for competitive activities."

Society No Handicap
"And certainly a society woman is in no way handicapped. The greater the social accomplishment, the greater the business accomplishment: if you can serve tea beautifully it is pretty likely that you can transact business beautifully."

"The real estate business is, in a way, like all big things—the bigger the proposition, such as the handling of an enormous office building, the simpler, the more dignified and pleasant the handling. To rent three rooms and bath, that is the difficult thing—there you contend with the nervous housewife, who worries about the electric lights, and the steam heat, and the matter of hot and cold water, whereas in the bigger business, all you do is to get the two principals together—land and office-holder."

Connected with Miss Force in her real estate office are Miss L. A. Morse, who was with the Red Cross during the war; Miss Mary Tolson, who was a nurse, and Julie Lenthilhon, who served on many war work committees. Miss Force herself took a full course in the Merchants' and Bankers' Business College.

Interior Decoration
"I think women especially fitted for this line of work," says Miss Force. "Because they have more taste than men in the matter of interior decoration. A man does not think about sunlight in the kitchen, or the color of the wall-paper. He has no patience with the matching of doorknobs and baseboards. He does not take into

erty blues," a crate of vegetables and when interviewed had begun to consume the municipal wharf.

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Mrs. Newbywed was speaking very proudly to her caller of their new house and told of its ventilation. "I don't think your modern dwelling has anything on our old-fashioned frame house in that respect," returned the caller. "Every night we lock the cat in the cellar and let her out of the attic in the morning."—Houston Post.

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consideration the effect of night lights in a house, or that the colors must inevitably change for better or for worse. He just sees so many rooms, in such and such a locality, and its renting value.

"My only advice to women is: Know your job first—don't think a smattering of learning on the subject is going

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